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GREENSBORO, N. C., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1900.

Price Five Cents

WILL OPEN HOUSES IN THE EAST

SOUTHERN COTTON SPINNERS WILL NOT ACCEPT TERMS.

The Eastern Commission Men Charge Too Much for Handling Southern Goods and the Spinners' Association Will, Therefore Open Houses in the Eastern Cities. By Wire to The Telegram.

Charlotte, Dec. 14.—The Board of Governors of the Southern Cotton Spinners' Association met in secret session last night to receive the report of the special committee appointed to secure selling agents in the eastern markets. After the meeting it was said that the Association had not only secured all the money needed, but had secured reliable men to take charge of the selling agencies. The members will neither give nor receive quarter.

As the eastern commission houses have decided not to make any more concession, the Southern spinners have arranged to open their selling houses in Philadelphia, New York, Boston and St. Louis, sometime in January.

DR. BROUGHTON STIRRING 'EM UP.

Shakes Up an Alabama Town on an Old Hackneyed Subject.

Meridian, Miss., Special, 10th, to Atlanta Journal.

Rev. L. G. Broughton, who has been conducting a union revival meeting at this place for two weeks past, has created a profound sensation in Meridian on account of his sermon yesterday, his subject being: "If Christ Came to Meridian."

The subject had been freely advertised. Dr. Broughton dealt first with the homes and business offices and then took up the police department.

"Two weeks ago," he said, "a big gambling outfit was captured in Meridian's swell hotel, and several well-known people arrested."

His sermon Broughton said:

"If Jesus should come to Meridian and go to your city jail, what would He find?"

"What if He looked over the police docket and found that a swell gambling hell had been broken up in a swell hotel, and the police had arrested a number of your business men there? What if those men had been docketed and tried and found guilty under fictitious names? Would Christ say that you had in Meridian a set of officials who were doing their duty? Would He hold it right that public officers should use their authority for the protection of gamblers?"

The implied charges caused a tremendous sensation, and when the services were over, Chief of Police W. R. Nelson and Day Sergeant Waggoner called at the residence of Mr. A. G. Weems, one of Meridian's wealthiest business men, who was entertaining the Atlantian.

"I want to say to you," said the chief, "that if you say we arrest gamblers and docket them under fictitious names, you are a liar."

Dr. Broughton expostulated with the chief and said that he had been informed by some of the best people in the city, such was the case.

"Well, your best people are liars, too," said the chief.

"Mr. Weems was one of my informants," said Dr. Broughton, "and I can call him in."

"All right," replied Nelson, "If he comes in here and repeats to me what you say he said to you, I'll tell him he is a liar."

Dr. Broughton did not call in the host, but listened to the chief's protest and in his sermon last night said he wished to make an explanation.

"I was informed this fact existed," he said, "by parties who are regarded as reliable. There is a lie out somewhere. Either my informants or the newspapers have lied and I think the latter have as much right to join the Ananias gang as anybody else. I want the cap to fit."

There has been a rush today to see the police docket. The names are all of well-known men and the records are straight.

Another Deserter Caught.

Chief of Police Scott has caught another deserter from the United States army. This one, Robert A. Higgins, at Madison. There was a reward of \$30 offered for him.

THE PRIZE WINNERS.

Messrs. R. J. Marks and D. H. Collins Beat on the Greensboro Guesses, and Dr. D. A. Stanton Gets the High Point Prize.

Greensboro's population is 10,035; High Point's is 4,163.

In the guessing contest for a year's subscription for the best guess and a six month's subscription for the second best guess to the figures for Greensboro, Mr. R. J. Marks won the first, and Mr. D. H. Collins the second. Mr. Marks' guess was 10,037.

Mr. Collins' was 10,026.

There were quite a number who guessed between 10,000 and 11,000, but none came so close as these. Some went so high as 20,000, and some so low as 8,000.

Dr. Stanton's guess was 4,163, the exact figures given by the census. There was no second prize offered for this.

Mrs. Gorrel Gets Her \$5,000 Judgment.

It will be recollect that Mrs. C. J. Gorrel, through her attorney, Mr. A. L. Brooks, sued the Greensboro Water Supply Company for damage to her property by fire in 1897 by the failure of the company to supply sufficient water to control the fire. The suit has since been running the legal gauntlet. A judgment was obtained in February of this year for the full amount, but an appeal was taken, which has now been decided.

This morning Attorney Brooks got \$5,000 for Mrs. Gorrel. No other suit, and there were several against the company, was grieved, and they went into the Federal court when the company went into the hands of a receiver some time ago.

CHAS. T. HOLT DEAD.

Died at Haw River Yesterday—One of the Most Prominent Manufacturers of the State.

Special to the News and Observer.

Haw River, N. C., Dec. 13.—Mr. Chas. T. Holt, president of the cotton mills at Haw River, died this afternoon. He was the oldest and only living son of the late Governor Thomas M. Holt, and his force of mind and strength was of no inconsiderable aid to his father, during the latter's life time, and after his death became the central figure of Haw River. He was president of the T. M. Holt Manufacturing Company, and was connected with the Cora Manufacturing Company, the Granite Manufacturing Company and numerous other industrial enterprises. He was an affable, kindhearted gentleman, whose kindness and generosity, and many amiable qualities made for him hosts of friends. He was a man of worth and dignity whose business sagacity was of the highest, and whose judgment was considered of the highest, and whose judgment was considered very safe. He exhibited prudence and care in making his investment, and he was considered a very "safe" man. In business, politics and religion, he was by nature conservative.

To his wife, the daughter of ex-Governor Jones, of Alabama, he was devoted. He was excellent in all the relations of life. As a citizen and friend he was true and trustworthy of the highest trust.

Big Real Estate Deal in Durham.

Durham Special to Charlotte Observer.

The Edgemont Land Company yesterday afternoon became the owner of some very valuable real estate. Gen. J. S. Carr is one of the large stockholders in this company. The deal made was to transfer a large number of lots from himself to the company. The value of the lots thus transferred is more than \$50,000. These lots are being sold to individuals very rapidly and during the last few days a large number of deeds have been filed in the office of the register of deeds. In a few months the locality that is now known as Edgemont has been changed from an old field, in which were situated a few dens of vice and shame, to a thriving village. There are more than a hundred neat cottage homes in this new town and more are being erected. The new cotton mill will soon be ready for business, and the hosiery mill is nearly completed so far as the outside work is concerned.

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BUYS A FARM.

Mr. J. M. Dick yesterday sold his farm of 100 acres to Mr. Alf Bell. The property is about eight miles east of the city and is desirable property.

THE BOND BIDDERS ON HAND.

REPRESENTATIVES OF FINANCIAL HOUSES HERE FOR THE SALE.

Indications Are That the Water, Light and Improvement Bonds Will Bring a Good Figure—Any or All Bids May Be Rejected. The Kind of Bonds to be Sold by the Aldermen.

Somebody evidently wants a chance at Greensboro's \$135,000 of bonds that are to be sold tonight. There are representatives of some six or eight houses here today, all waiting for the fray tonight, when the Board of Aldermen will receive sealed bids for our issue of \$100,000 of waterworks bonds, \$25,000 Electric Light Bonds, and \$10,000 Street Improvement Bonds.

Among others who are here are: F. R. Phillips, representing Dawson, Pryor & Co., Cleveland, O.; Walter Bruce, for the First National Bank of Columbus, O.; Harry G. Newpher, representing W. J. Hayes & Co., Cleveland, O., and James E. Chapman, for Lamprecht Bros. & Co., Cleveland, O. Seagoond & Myer, of Cincinnati, who bought the other bonds, also have a representative present, as also do Rudolph Kleyneotte & Co., of Cleveland, and other firms.

The last sale of bonds brought \$111,19. Those to be sold tonight will without doubt bring more. Mayor Taylor is of the opinion that they will bring a good deal more. If the bids are not as much as the aldermen think they should be, they have the right, and will doubtless exercise it, of rejecting them. The bonds are in denominations as follows: 99 Waterworks bonds at \$1,000 each, one of \$500 and five of \$1,000 each; 21 Electric Light Bonds of \$1,000 each, one of 5500 and five of \$1,000 each; 10 Street Improvement Bonds of \$1,000 each, coupon in form, dated January 1st, 1901, and due and payable thirty years from that date. They will bear interest at a rate of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Greensboro, both principal and interest being payable in gold coin of the present eight and fourness.

THINKS CHINA WILL COMPLY.

Minister Conger Says She Has It in Her Power to Accept Most of the Terms at Once.

By Wire to The Telegram.

Peking, Dec. 14.—Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have sent official notification to the ministers that they have received the promised documents authorizing them to act in behalf of China in the peace negotiations and announcing that they are ready to proceed as soon as the ministers desire.

Mr. Conger says he believes China will immediately accept the terms imposed, and that she has it in her power to comply with a majority of them before spring, while others can wait.

TWO TRAINS WRECKED.

By Wire to The Telegram.

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—The day express, No. 8, from Chicago, on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road, ran into the Leetsdale accommodation near Edgeworth, Pa., this morning. Four train men were injured, and both trains wrecked, but none of the passengers were injured.

The Worth Will Case Going Slowly.

Dr. W. P. Beall returned last night from Asheboro where he was summoned as a witness in the Worth will trial. He says that the case is proceeding so slowly and is so long that it is doubtful if it can be completed this week, which is so long as the court can sit. They are working day and night and if the case is finished the speaking of the lawyers will likely have to be curtailed.

CARTLAND COUNCIL'S NEW HALL.

Cartland Council Jr. O. U. A. M., met last night for the first time in their new hall over Grissom & Fordham's drug store. This hall is now one of the best in the city and the Junior Order Boys are just proud of it.

AN OLD TIME CANDY STEW.

A number of our young people will give an old time candy stew tonight complimentary to themselves at the residence of Mr. C. H. Dorsett on East Washington street.

DR. R. W. WEAVER'S NEW IDEA.

Writes a Message to His Church After the Style of the President's Annual Message.

A Middleton, O., special to the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune of the 10th says:

"The Rev. R. W. Weaver, pastor of the First Baptist Church, delivered his first annual message to the membership of his church Sunday forenoon. This is a new feature in church affairs of this city, and a large attendance rewarded Rev. Mr. Weaver's effort to make the service of especial interest. Among the many pertinent utterances embodied in the address was the report that \$25,000 had been subscribed toward the building of a new church home. As most of this has been subscribed with the understanding that \$30,000 is to be raised by January 15, an especial effort will be made to secure the additional \$5,000 before that time. A new mission will be established at Poststown, and a sermon preached by Rev. Mr. Weaver at that place once a month. A weekly church paper will be published under the title of 'Our Work and Worship,' beginning January 1, 1901, and be managed by Miss Marie ... and edited by Rev. Mr. Weaver."

Dr. Weaver's home paper, the Daily Middleton Journal, published the "Message" in full, embracing three columns and says of it:

"One of the most original ideas placed before the church going people of today was the message of Dr. Weaver to the members of the First Baptist church yesterday morning. The feature, as far as church affairs are concerned, is absolutely original with Dr. Weaver. Of course there has been yearly reports of the work of the church, but never before, to our knowledge, has a minister of a protestant church, placed before his people a message of this kind and in this manner. We have the great pleasure of publishing the message in full, which all will find a most able and carefully written document."

JUNIOR EXHIBITION.

Program For Entertainment Saturday Night at Guilford College.

The class of 1902 of Guilford College will give their Junior Exhibition in Memorial Hall tomorrow night. The following is the program:

Piano Duet—Haberna, (Chorus and March from Carem Englemann, Mrs. Albright and Miss Thompson.

ORATIONS:

A Problem of the Far East. Ernest C. Love. The Origin of Our Destiny. Chase W. Idol. Heroines of the Poets. Ida Eleanore Millis. Trusts.

Elmer C. Leak. Serenade. Mayhew. Success. Charles Woodard Davis. Material versus the Higher Riches. Clara Irene Cox.

The Battle of Guilford Court House.

A. Homer Ragan. Chorus—O Italia, Italia, Beloved, (From Lucretia) Donizetti. Forbis-Penn.

The following cards have been sent out:

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Forbis invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Mary,

to Mr. E. Clifford Penn, Wednesday evening, December Twenty-sixth, nineteen-hundred, at half-past nine o'clock, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Something New Under the Sun.

So far as the information of this writer goes, the commercial traveling or "drumming" has been done in the South wholly by white men. But this morning a coon drummer came to town. He was a consequential North Carolina nigger with a grip, sah, and he wanted to sell cigars. He said he would travel the country from Virginia to South Carolina, and was selling for a Chicago house.

THE IMPECUNIOUS AUTHOR.

Mark Twain forgot, a few evenings ago, that he was invited out to dinner. Most authors, says the Chicago Times-Herald, ungluckily have strong reasons for vividly remembering such engagements.

HIGH-PRICED ROBIN.

A Providence (R. I.) pot hunter has just paid \$25.45 for the penalty of killing one robin. Robins are now protected the year round by the Rhode Island game laws.

A TRAIN ROBBERY IN TEXAS.**A BOLD TRICK ON THE COTTON BELT RAILWAY.**

Postal Clerk Jno. D. Dennis Knocked in the Head With a Shovel—Robbers Gained Entrance to the Car Through a Small Trap Door in the Vestibule.

Texarkana, Ark., Dec. 13.—A bold robbery on the Cotton Belt Railway occurred today at Bassett's, Texas, 30 miles south of Texarkana, on the train coming north, in which Postal Clerk John N. Dennis was almost killed and the mail pouches of his car rifled of their contents. The amount stolen is not known. As the train left the Bassett's water tank, at 6 a. m., the express and mail cars were separated from the train, but the crew soon had them coupled up again. In the run from there to Texarkana the coaches were uncoupled twice in a very mysterious manner. On arrival of the train here the United States transfer clerk knocked at the door of the mail car but got no response. Officials then forced an entrance and found the clerk, John N. Dennis, stretched upon the floor, apparently dead. A hurried examination showed that the registered packages had been opened and robbed of their contents, the most valuable of which was the Waco-Memphis through pouch, containing a large number of valuable packages. A physician was sent for and it was found that Dennis was alive, but unconscious. An ugly wound in the top of his head told the story. Two hours after he was taken to the hospital he revived sufficiently to give the details of the robbery.

Just as the train parted at Bassett's tank, Dennis went into the vestibule of the mail car to stir up the fire. When he opened the vestibule door he saw two men standing by the stove, one of whom dealt him a terrible blow over the head with a fire shovel. The first blow felled him and he was then quickly beaten into a senseless condition. He knew nothing more until he was revived in the Texarkana hospital. He is in a critical condition.

Examination of the car showed that the robbers gained entrance through a small trap door in the floor of the vestibule. In the vestibule is a crack through which one can uncouple the cars, and it is thought that it was the intention of the robbers to disconnect and get control of both cars. It is impossible to tell what the robbers secured, but it is believed they made a good haul. Officers are on the case, but there is little to work on as the men could have left the car at three different places before the train arrived here.

Word reached here at noon that two suspects have been arrested at Naples, near the scene of the robbery, but none of the packages were found. Dennis is an old and trusted mail clerk.

Must be a Big Improvement,
Salisbury Sun.

The Telegram is right in the meaning it gathers from the press of the State. There was never a time, indeed, when a stronger effort was made by the news papers in North Carolina to arouse interest in the primary schools. It is also right when it says that the legislators must do all they can to help the cause, that they must convince the people that they have done this, and we add that nothing short of a big improvement in some way will be entirely satisfactory.

A Faithful Service.
Concord Standard.

A friend saw him moving down Trade street of Charlotte. He was enroute to Morganton—he never misses a meeting of the Hospital Board. Without pay, hope of reward, or public endorsement, he has given his very best efforts for years to the support and efficiency of the hospital, which cares for our unfortunately afflicted. We refer to Joseph P. Caldwell. The wisest safest and best thing to do in January is: General Assembly invites Joe Caldwell down to Raleigh, ask him what he would have done for the institution, then do it without crossing a toe during an!

GOOD ADVICE.

The most miserable things in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seven-and-a-half per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, palpitation of the heart, heart-burn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your druggist and get bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Prize Almanac. Grissom & Fordham.

We Are Reminded

on every side of the fact that Christmas is near at hand, and many are at a loss to know what to give that will be useful and appreciated. Before deciding we invite all to call and see Moore Optical company. Also see Drs. Moore about that aching head or tired eyes. They can adjust glasses that will help you to better enjoy the holidays.

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Our stock is composed entirely of new and

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We do not offer you an old shop-worn assortment of goods to select from. Remember, we do not sell any article we cannot guarantee: we have a reputation of THIRTY TWO years to sustain and cannot afford to sell shoddy goods. Come early and select your presents, and avoid the rush; all our engraving done by hand and free of cost on any article you may purchase from us.

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GREENSBORO STEAM LAUNDRY.
JNO. M. DICK, Prop'r. Phone 72.

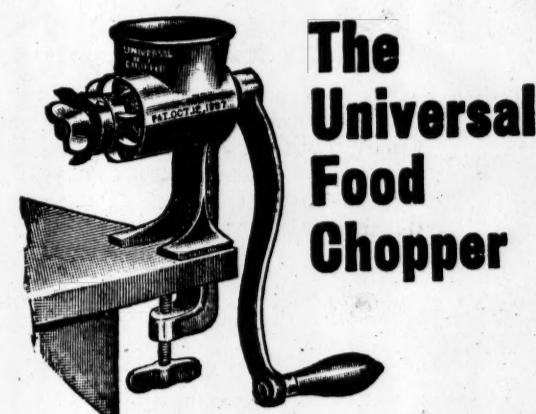
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The Universal Food Chopper
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A Pulverizer or Grater. } One Machine.

This Chopper is one of the very best, as well as one of the cheapest on the market. If you intend purchasing a Food Chopper, we are positive you will not go amiss in securing an Universal Machine. Stop in and examine them.

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 29TH. CONDENSED FROM REPORT TO COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts.....	\$308,202.84	Capital Stock.....	\$100,000.00
Overdrafts (secured and unsecured).....	1,801.20	Surplus and Profits, net.....	15,988.84
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	160,05.99	Circulation.....	100,000.00
Banking house, furn., and fixtures.....	84.00.00	Bills payable.....	15,988.84
Revenue Stamps.....	310.83	Deposits.....	270,864.88
Cash on hand and in banks.....	63,470.77	Total.....	\$41,851.12
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LIABILITIES:

Deposits June 29, 1899..... \$205,000.00 Deposits, June 29th, 1900..... \$270,900.00

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COMMENCED BUSINESS, OCTOBER 2D, 1899.

J. W. FRY, President. J. S. COX, Vice-President. W. F. ALLEN, Secy. Treas.

Greensboro Loan and Trust Company,
Capital Stock, \$100,000.00.

Furnish travellers letters of credit, available in all parts of the world. Does a general banking business. Makes loans on improved real estate. Negotiates mortgages and acts as trustee. Acts as guardian, executor and administrator of estates. Safety deposit boxes for rent.

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Trust funds to loan on improved city property.

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Next to the Consumer

is where we stand in the lumber business. At the kicking spot, as it were, in regard to prices.

First comes the owner of the timber. He just woke up to the value of it and wants double last year's prices. Then the sawmill man. He has not been making a fortune and thinks now he should share a little in the general prosperity.

They say to us: "We must have so much for our trees and work." After a while it is "up to you." Don't kick. You don't suppose we have nerve enough to put up prices unless they had first been put up on us. No, indeed. But prices are NOT high. They have been to low and are just now getting reasonable. Your children will be glad to build at double the price it now costs you. It is a trifle, but true saying, if you want to build, "Now is the time."

And ours is the place to get the stuff.

GREENSBORO LUMBER CO.

They have stood the test of years and have cured thousands of cases of Nervous Diseases, such as Debility, Dizziness, Sciatica, &c., &c.

They clear the brain, strengthen the circulation, make digestion perfect and impart a healthy

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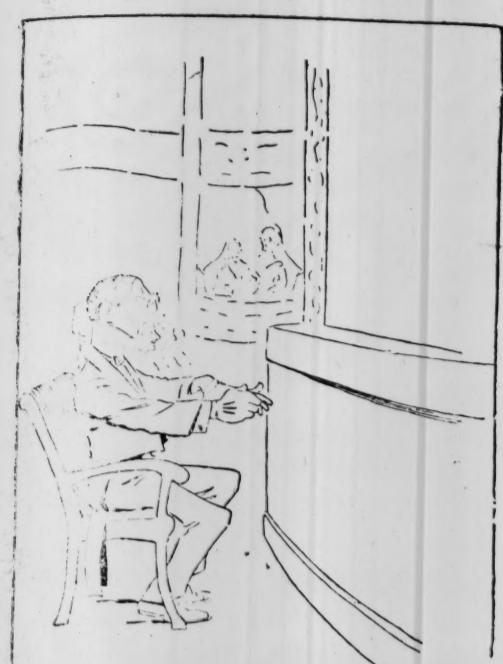
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Vade Mecum Spring Company have determined to make this Stokes county water a standard and sell it everywhere. They also are building a beautiful resort at the spring.

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1. Cholly—"If there's anything I like, it is the front seat at a vaudeville show."



3. "Good, she's sprinkling sand for a sand dance. When she dances then my time will come."



4. And it did.

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2. Ah! here comes a pretty soubrette, now watch her smile at me. Ah! I'm such a master."

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We have prepared to gladden many hearts, both young and old, and are ready this week to offer you a very large line of

Fancy Rockers, Music Cabinets, Work Baskets, Pictures and Easels, Work Stands, Dressing Tables, Hall-Trees, Tabouretts, Chiffoniers, China Cases, Sideboards, Parlor Suits, Leather Chouches, Morris Chairs

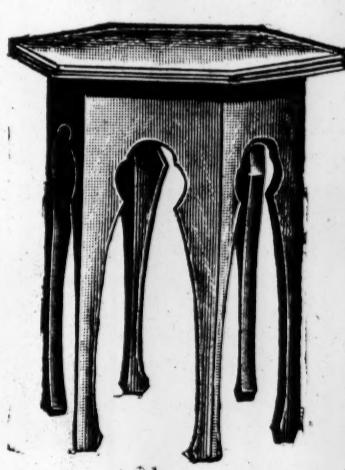
and many other beautiful articles in addition to those shown and mentioned above, in fact our assortment is large and complete and cannot be excelled for beautiful designs and finish.



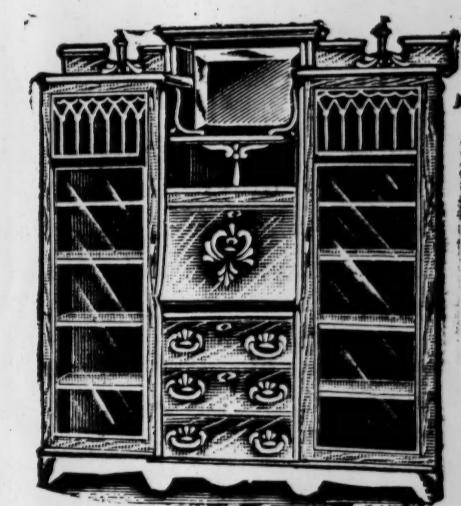
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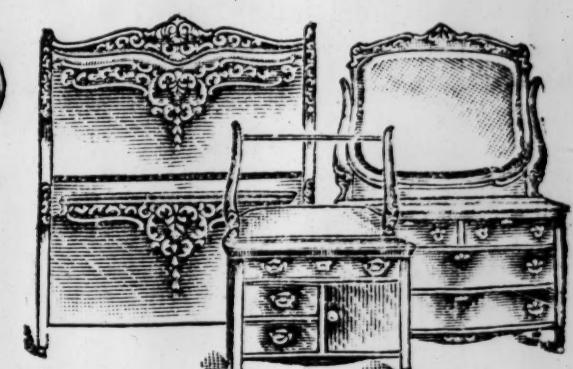
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14.

A STEP BUT NOT A LONG ONE.

The Concord Standard, a very thoughtful paper, says that in the discussion of child labor in factories there is a drift which surprises it. This, it says, "is the advocacy of a law making attendance on school compulsory for children who work in the mills. This is the class that we want to reach and benefit especially, but to apply compulsion to them and not to all it seems to us would be a very great mistake. We doubt very much the expediency of a compulsory school law just now and a law applying to one class and not another we think would be fraught with great evil."

If we have read the discussion aright there is no disposition to link indissolubly a general compulsory school law with a labor law. The idea is to prohibit the employment of children under certain ages, and, also, the employment of children under certain other ages unless they shall have attended school a certain length of time. But even if moderate compulsory attendance is required of people in reach of schools, it would be a step towards a general law, and no one is of opinion that a radical law could be adopted at once. The Standard is inclined to believe that the amendment will be the "very best and most effective step we could have taken for popular education." We are willing to agree that the amendment was a step, but it is a very short one, and in view of the experience of two-thirds of the States of the Union we do not think it will ever take the place of compulsory attendance.

ALONG WITH THE BRETHREN.

Perhaps we may not have war with China and then perhaps we may. It is the opinion of good and clear-thinking that a war with China would mean greater disaster every way than our war with Spain.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

We had been living under the impression that there were no disasters for Samuel in the Spanish war.

The work planned by the Baptist State Convention which was in session in Raleigh last week, and the Methodist Conference at New Bern was along progressive lines and marks the advance which these denominations are making in North Carolina.—Greenville Reflector.

And these and other religious bodies stand more in the real advancement of North Carolina than any other agencies. They are putting their hands to the plow.

The census of 1900 shows that Greensboro has increased more in population since 1890 than any other town in this State.—Chatham Record.

Aye, aye, Sir.

Several of our subscribers have come forward and paid their subscription and we sincerely thank them—Dunn Banner.

Oh, astute subscribers! They know that the Banner can't wave without the caress of the breezes.

"We've had a good year, Bishop," played a small part at Conference. Peace to its ashes.—Raleigh Advocate. How about "all and in all."

There are signs indicating that Christmas will arrive this year about the 25th of December.—Raleigh Times. And thus our capital contemporary wins its spurs as an enterprising paper.

When the average North Carolinian goes to Wilmington, Charlotte, Raile

sigh or Greensboro, he feels as though he was in a large city.—Newbern Journal.

To be sure he does.

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The girl of the period is never in a state of coma.—Exchange.

No; she is a dash-in beauty, with too much sense asterisk her future happiness with the colon dude.—Durham Sun.

Now, you go 'way, Jim.

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Don't forget to bring us that wood on subscription, we are needing some, who will be the first to bring it in?—Thomasville News.

In the meantime, brother, while your admiring constituents are squabbling over who shall have the honor, don't neglect the precaution of buying a load or two.

If Wilmington did not show up much in the late census there appears to be some prosperity down there. The Atlantic National Bank of that place advertises \$400,000 to lend.

YALE GAINS BIG SUM.

Treasurer's Report Shows Large Increase of Funds Last Year.

The Yale university corporation treasurer's report and the budget for the coming year were presented at the autumn meeting. Both were approved. Treasurer Morris F. Tyler says that for the fiscal year ended July 31, 1900, the permanent funds of the university were increased by the sum of \$427,336.59; that the general funds of all departments amount to \$2,372,994.42, and the funds and assets of the university aggregate \$5,347,782.77. The receipts from term bills and other charges to students were \$487,022.19; received as income from investment, rents, etc., \$255,967.70.

The general university funds have received \$210,998.50 of the year's increase noted, the principal additions being from the estate of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, \$100,000; from Miss Caroline Phelps Stokes and Miss Oliva E. Phelps Stokes, for the erection of Woodbridge hall, \$40,000, and \$30,000 from William E. Dodge for a specific course of lectures. Of the remainder of the increase \$16,977.65 comes in the form of gifts to the incomes of the different departments and \$200,685.25 in additions to building funds, of which latter sum \$190,775 has been paid to the bicentennial memorial building fund.

NEED A NAVAL RESERVE.

Secretary Long to Urge Its Establishment Instead of the Present Naval Militia.

Secretary Long, it is said in a special dispatch to the New York Tribune from Washington, will in his report urge the establishment of a naval reserve to supplant the existing naval militia, which is thought to have outlived its usefulness, as shown by its rapid deterioration since the war with Spain. The proposed national reserve is already under consideration in congress, with the endorsement of all naval and maritime interests. It contemplates the enrollment of officers and seamen in the merchant service, much after the manner of the British reserve, at an expense far below that of the naval militia, with the distinct advantage of making experienced seafaring men available for services aboard fighting ships. It will be shown that in case of war to-morrow the United States warships now in service would require at least 500 officers and 10,000 men for fighting complements. With a national naval reserve enrolled this force could be secured and made efficient in a few weeks, while on the other hand the present naval militia could not supply one-tenth the number in twice the time.

OSTEOPATHY.

All persons desiring Osteopathic treatment should consult with E. S. Willard, D. O., before Dec 20, as he intends leaving Greensboro the first of the year. Office in Southern Loan & Trust Building. 12 7-1w

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MANAGER.

AMUSEMENTS:
At the Normal College, Dec. 14.—
Polk Miller.
Academy of Music, Dec. 14.—“What
Happened to Jones.”
At the Academy of Music, Dec. 19.—
“When We Were Twenty-one.”
At the Normal College, Dec. 20.—
The Bostonia Sextette Club.
Thacker & Brockmann’s store will
be open until 9 o’clock at night
through the Christmas holidays.

Notices of New Advertisements.
For la grippe and headache, use
Capudine.

J. M. Hendrix & Co. remind you
that they are selling R. & G and
Warner’s corsets at 25 per cent. off.

S. L. Gilmer & Co. don’t claim to
have everything you want for Xmas,
but remind you of some things you
need.

Harry-Belk Bros. Company adver-
tise special sale of underwear and
shoes for tomorrow.

New pack pie peaches and tomatoes
—J. W. Scott & Co.

Grissom & Fordham call your at-
tention to one of the nicest lines of
Xmas goods in the city.

POLK MILLER TONIGHT.

At the State Normal College tonight
at 8:30 o’clock Polk Miller will give
one of his well known evenings with
the old time ditty.

Come out and laugh with him and
grow fat.

This is not a lecture you know, but
songs, bango playing, negro character
sketches, stories etc. Eight-thirty
o’clock. Tickets fifty cents.

Those who do not approve of the
play house will find nothing objection-
able in Polk Miller’s entertainment.
He has the endorsement of Mark
Twain and other well known auth-
orities.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY RATES.

The Southern Railway Company
will sell on account of the above occa-
sion round trip tickets at one and one-
third first class standard one-way
fares for round trip. Tickets on sale
December 22, 23, 24 and 25, also De-
cember 30 and 31, 1900, final limit Jan-
uary 4th, 1901.

HOLIDAY RATES FOR STUDENTS.

Tickets sold to students and teach-
ers of schools and colleges upon pres-
entation of certificates signed by the
superintendents, principals or pres-
ident thereof, under the foregoing con-
dition, or December 15 to 21, 1900, in-
clusive, with limit January 8th, 1901.

J. B. GRAHAM, T. A.

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the
Stockholders of the City National
Bank of Greensboro, N. C., will be
held at the banking house on Tuesday,
January 8th, 1901, at 10 o’clock.

LEE H. BATTLE, Cashier.
Greensboro, Dec. 8, 1900.

Suitable Books for Xmas Presents.

“Eben Holden,” “Friend of Cae-
sar,” “The Cardinals Snuff Box,”
“Eleanor,” “The Mantle of Elijah,”
“The Isle of Unrest,” “Dr. North and
His Friends,” “The Master Christian,”
“In the Palace of the King,” “Alice
of Old Vincennes,” “The Love That
Had No Turning,” “The Redemption
of David Corson,” “The Footsteps of
a Throne,” “Cupid’s Garden,” “Un-
canonized,” “The Story of an Ocean
Tramp,” “The Voice of the People,”
“Stringtown on the Pike,” “On the
Wings of Occasion,” “Deacon Brad-
bury,” “The Gentleman from In-
Indiana,” “Fisherwoman’s Luck,” “Un-
quisante,” “Gibson’s Americans,”
The Reign of Law, Red Pottage,
“Wild Animals I have Known,” The
Trail of the Sand Hill Stagg, The Biog-
raphy of a Grizzly, The Man That
Corrupted Hadleyburg.

STANDARD CHRISTMAS BOOKS.
“Huckleberry Finn,” Prince and
Pauper, Uncle Remus, His Songs and
Sayings, The Old Gentleman of the
Black Stock, Santa Claus’ Partner,
Bird’s Xmas Carol, “Chatter Box”
(1900), Uncle Remus and His Friends,
“Daddy Jake,” “Because I Love
You,” The Story of an Untold
Love, Diddie Dumps and Tot, The
Young Marooners, Henry Books for
Boys, Editha’s Burglar. At Wharton
Bros’, booksellers.

A WATERMAN’S fountain pen
makes a royal Xmas present. We
have them from \$2.50 to \$6. Wharton
Bros.

Christmas Goods —AT— GARDNER’S Corner Opposite Postoffice.

One-Cent-a-Word.

LOST—Large white pointer dog, right
eye out. Had collar on with chain
attached. Finder will be rewarded
by returning to Postal Telegraph Office.
12-13-2t

STRAYED—or stolen—Jersey heifer
from my house last night. Reward
if returned to Boycott’s store. J. F.
Aiken. 12-13-2t

GOOD cooking butter 20c pound,
fresh eggs 20c dozen. All kinds
fruits and nuts for your Xmas cake at
Hiatt & Lamb’s

FOR SALE—Grade Jersey cow in
good condition. “M.” this of-
fice.

SUBSCRIPTIONS taken for any
magazine published, at publisher’s
prices, at Kerr’s.

RAISINS, currants, citron, figs.
Dressed pigs 7c pound, nice sau-
sage. J. C. Olive & Co.

ARE you looking for something for
an Xmas present? What is the mat-
ter with a nice gas portable lamp com-
plete with tubing connections, reading
globes, etc. Another nice one would
be one of our hydro carbon students’
lamp. They are beauties; see the new
supply received today. Gate City
Supply Co., 217 South Elm street.
Phone 161.

LADIES’ bedroom slippers, 50c, 60c,
75c, \$1.00, \$1.25. Our all-felt
slippers are noiseless, warm and rest-
ful to the feet. Fur topped Romeo
slipper \$1.00 to \$1.25. Sizes 3 to 8
Thacker & Brockmann.

DO you want to give your husband,
father or brother an acceptable
Christmas present? Get him a pair of
comfortable house slippers. We have
eight different kinds priced from 75c
to \$1.50 the pair. Thacker & Brock-
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BARGAIN in shingles Saturday.
Forty thousand good No. 2 and
3. Call on John B. Wright, piano
man. Also full stock pianos. 2t

LARGE lamp chimneys for stores,
lamps and chimneys of all sizes,
tinware, glassware, crockery, Japan-
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couches, lounges, chairs, rockers, fur-
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gain House. 12-13-3t

FOR SALE—An 8-room house on
Bellemere avenue, prize \$2,000,
on easy terms. A. Weatherly, agent,
712 King street. 12-12-2w

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XLIX, care telegraph.

XMAS cards for Sunday school
teachers from 10 cents a dozen up,
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JUST received a handsome lot of
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Just the thing for a Xmas pres-
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HAVE you seen our China window?
If not call at once. Wharton Bros’.
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XQUISITE platinum pictures un-
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WHY not examine our line of books
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HAIR manufactured into switches,
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can be seen at 450 Arlington street.
Mrs. A. M. Erb. 12-8-1w

BED-ROOM slippers for ladies and
gentlemen, in a dozen different
styles; prices from 60c. to \$1.50.
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TRY ONE of our Carbon Desk
Lamps, it is a beauty; costs you
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Mantels of all kinds and prices.
Brackets, pendants, chandeliers, etc.
Get our prices on the fixtures of your
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South Elm St.

BUY your coal now; don’t wait till
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Phone 8.

DRAVAGE—Phone 104 for quick de-
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\$3.00 Vici Kid Shoes, black and tan, also Calf, no better made, they go tomorrow
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they are 25c to 50c less than others are asking for same goods. We carry the
best School Shoes made. Try a pair and be convinced, and the change you save
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Ladies’ Heavy Ribbed Vests 10c, worth 20c. Men’s all-wool undershirts and
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Watches, Rings, Chains,

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Engraving neatly done.

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Be wise for once and see something big

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Most Everything.

Dear Santa Claus:—Please bring me a rocking chair, a piano, and a horse, and a wagon, a piano, and a horn, an engine and some cars, and anything else that you think would please a little boy who will be four years old on Xmas day.

ALMA WHITE
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Go-cart, Pictures, Etc.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little girl eight years old. I want a go-cart, a dolly, some picture books, games, candy, nuts, and lots of fruit.

Your friend,
MATTIE V. BISHOP.

Tool Chest, Bicycle, Football.

Dear Santa Claus:—Please bring me a tool chest, and a bicycle, and football, and candy, nuts, and plenty of firecrackers. Good bye.

Your friend,
HAYMAN THACKER.

Doll, Bracelet, Etc.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little girl 9 years old. I want you to bring me picture books, a doll, a doll carriage, a bracelet, a table, and a stove that I can cook on,

Yours truly,
MINNIE YORK.
Lexington, N.C., Dec. 13.

P.S.—I have a little brother. Don't forget to bring him a billy-goat and a train. His name is Denny Gladstone York.

Train, Boy Doll, Goat.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little boy 5 years old. I want you to bring me a little train, a boy doll, a Billy goat, and a wagon, candy and apples, and oranges.

Your friend,
EARL YORK.
Lexington, N.C., Dec. 13.

Doll Carriage, Fruits, Etc.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little girl seven years old. I want you to bring me a doll carriage, a tea set, a table, and lots of oranges, candy and nuts. I have a little brother and sister, too. Remember them when you come.

Your Little friend,
LOLA HUNT.
330 Main Street.

Doll, Bed, Cradle.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little girl five years old. I want you to bring me a doll, a doll bed, a cradle, a bureau and some candy and nuts.

Your little friend,
KATE HUNT.
610 Walker Avenue.

P.S.—I have two little brothers, Charles and Lynn. Please remember them when you come.

This Will Bankrupt Santa.

Dear Sandy Clos:—Please bring me a bisket, a watch, a dimun pin, a ring, sun nuts, candy, apels, bananas, rasens, an uprite piano, 2 horses, a saddle, an plenty of corn to feed it on, an any other thing you may happen to think of. I live on East Washington street.

Your friend,
WILL COX.

When the stomach is tired out it must have a rest, but we can't live without food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digests what you eat" so that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health. It is the only preparation that digests all kinds of food.

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No sure cure is yet known for chronic rheumatism. No man living can cure it always. He can try. If he fails he can try another way.

There are many ways. Some harmless; others worse than the rheumatism. Better not take the chance of quack medicines.

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil cures rheumatism only by crowding it out by vital force. If that succeeds, it succeeds; if that fails, it fails. It never does any harm.

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S. S. S. is a combination of roots and herbs of great curative powers, and when taken into the circulation searches out and removes all manner of poisons from the blood, without the least shock or harm to the system. On the contrary, the general health begins to improve from the first dose, for S. S. S. is not only a blood purifier, but an excellent tonic, and strengthens and builds up the constitution while purging the blood of impurities. S. S. S. cures all diseases of a blood poison origin, Cancer, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Chronic Sores and Ulcers, Eczema, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, Herpes and similar troubles, and is an infallible cure and the only antidote for that most horrible disease, Contagious Blood Poison.

A record of nearly fifty years of successful cures is a record to be proud of. S. S. S. is more popular today than ever. It numbers its friends by the thousands. Our medical correspondence is larger than ever in the history of the medicine. Many write to thank us for the great good S. S. S. has done them, while others are seeking advice about their cases. All letters receive prompt and careful attention. Our physicians have made a life-long study of Blood and Skin Diseases, and better understand such cases than the ordinary practitioner who makes a specialty of no one disease.

We are doing great good to suffering humanity through our consulting department, and invite you to write us if you have any blood or skin trouble. We make no charge whatever for this service.

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TO ESTABLISH AIRSHIP LINE.

Company in Texas Prepares to Launch Its First Aerial Passenger Craft.

The first airship to be built by the Custard Airship company at its factory at Elmont, Tex., will be completed in a few days and launched on its initial trip. This company was organized several months ago with a capital stock of \$100,000. It is composed of W. D. Custard, the inventor, and a number of prominent business men, who closely investigated the working model of the new aerial vehicle and pronounced it practicable.

The company endeavored to manufacture machines in time to establish a line of them to ply between New York and Paris during the progress of the exposition at the French capital, but their construction was delayed, and it will be several months before regular lines of airships will be established between the principal cities of this country, should the one which is to be launched next week prove the success that is claimed for it.

The complete machine weighs 250 pounds and it has a capacity of from three to five people. Its maximum speed is expected to be 100 miles per hour. The first trip will be from Elmont to Waco, a distance of 20 miles.

PALMER LOSES MODEL GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Seixas Leave for New York After a Stay of Twenty-Two Years.

The other day for the first time in 22 years and ten months room 358 of the Palmer house, Chicago, was vacant. The interesting part of it is that during all that time it has been occupied by one couple, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Seixas, and in their departure for New York, where they will make their future home, the hotel lost its star boarders. Mr. Seixas was a member of the firm of Cook, Lyman & Seixas, which was for a number of years engaged in the wholesale hat business on Market street. About a year ago the firm went out of business. It was on January 4, 1878, that Mr. and Mrs. Seixas went to the Palmer house. They selected room 358, where they remained all during their long stay, and every Sunday morning promptly at eight o'clock Mr. Seixas appeared at the cashier's window and settled his bill for the week. He never missed a payment and never varied more than a minute or two from exactly eight o'clock. The stay of Mr. and Mrs. Seixas exceeds by several years that of any other guest of the house.

THRONE OR WEDDING.

BILL TO ENABLE WILHELMINA TO MARRY AND YET REMAIN QUEEN.

In order to hold the throne the Dutch sovereign cannot marry without the consent of her parliament. She may marry otherwise, but in that case would inexorably have to renounce the throne. Therefore two bills are about to be put before the states general, the first giving the parliamentary consent to Queen Wilhelmina's marriage to Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, and the second granting full naturalization to the duke, as well as deciding upon his future title. Temporarily this title is that of prince consort. Preparations for the wedding are being hurried along.

WHERE POSITION IS WEALTH.

The Atlanta Constitution is of the opinion that the position of cashier in a New York bank beats a Klondike find.

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We can supply the trade with the best

Bread, Cakes and Pies,

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Friday, Dec. 14

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Broadhurst's Farce,

What Happened to Jones

By Geo. H. Broadhurst. Presented here by Broadhurst Bro.'s No. 1 Co., the same that play Richmond, Norfolk Charlotte, Atlanta and New Orleans.

Prices: 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Tickets on sale at Fariss'.

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It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion. Price 50c, and \$1. Large size contains 2½ times small size. Book all about dyspepsia mailed free.

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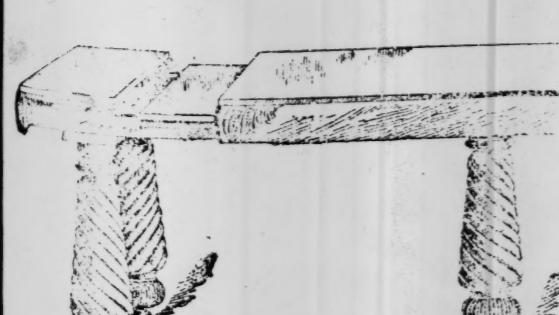
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CHRISTMAS

is coming. Furniture by the carload. Customers crowd this store every day buying and having presents set aside. Don't miss this opportunity. The finest, largest and most artistic line of furniture in the city. Will not try to mention the many bargains I have for you. Call and see them, they talk for themselves. When you buy here prices are so low that you always have money left. This store will be kept open until nine p.m. in order to give the people who are busy through the day a chance to see this immense stock.

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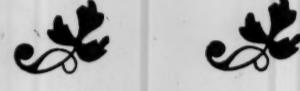
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Golden Dates, 10c lb.
Seeded Raisins, 15c, 2 lbs
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English Walnuts, 20c.
Soft Shelled Almonds 25c.
Hard Shelled Almonds 20c
Pecans and Filberts 20c.
Malaga Raisins 20c.
Malaga Grapes 25c.
Baldwin Apples, 35c peck.
Extra Layer Figs 20c

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that we are now showing in

Suits
Overcoats
Furnishings
and Hats
the

Latest in Ties

are a special feature this week

Merritt,
Brower & Co.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Rain tonight. Fair Saturday. Highest temperature, in Greensboro, for past 24 hours, ending eight o'clock this morning, 58; lowest 37.

LOCAL NOTES.

Merritt, Brower & Co. have a handsomely displayed window, showing some beautiful new styles in neckwear.

The lawyers are very anxious for a special term of court to try a part of the civil docket, but it is said, the county commissioners do not want it.

Chief of Police Scott got a message from Salisbury today stating that Hoy Payne, a Greensboro bootblack who is down there, got shot seriously last night.

The extreme lateness of The Telegram last night was caused by the breakdown of machinery which cost some two hours to repair. Our readers will, we know, be lenient with us on such occasions.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Andrew's church will have a Christmas sale of fancy articles and aprons, at the residence of Mrs. C. R. Brown, 301 W. Washington St. Monday and Tuesday afternoon and evening of next week.

The life insurance agents are in a hubbub about the writing of a \$50,000 policy on a Greensboro man. Only the one who is in the deal knows about it and he can't tell. It is said that the same man will make application for \$50,000 more if his first is successful.

We Don't...Claim

—to have everything you want to—
buy for Christmas, but here are—
a few things that will help to—
fill out your Lists:

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS ESPECIALLY

Embroidered Sheets and Pillow Cases in sets.

Hemstitched Sheets and Pillow Cases in sets.

Eideadine Quilts.

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Handsome Double Damask Table Linen—Napkins to match.

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Ready-made Silk Waists.

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All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 15c—special.

Full line of Cotton, Linen and Silk

Hankiechiefs—all prices.

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Box Coats. Fur Sets.

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For Everybody!

The best line of

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THE ELITE

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Fine New York

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THE ELITE,

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CAN HE DO IT?

That is not the Question:

IS HE DOING IT?

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Five dozen Open Front White

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